

Iowa Department of Human Services

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June 1, 2018

Clarence H. Carter, Director Office of Family Assistance Administration for Children and Families Department of Health and Human Services 330 C Street, S.W. Washington, D.C. 20201

Dear Director Carter:

I am pleased to submit an amendment to Iowa's State Plan for Temporary Assistance for Needy Families (TANF), as required by Section 402 of the Social Security Act.

This amendment adds confidentiality language specific to the Family Development and Self-Sufficiency (FaDSS) program with respect to the requirement under 402 (a)(1)(A)(iv) Take such reasonable steps as the State deems necessary to restrict the use and disclosure of information about individuals and families receiving assistance under the program attributable to funds provided by the Federal Government.

This language is added to distinguish FaDSS, which is administered directly by the Iowa Department of Human Rights, from other programs under this Plan that are administered by the Iowa Department of Human Services (DHS).

This amendment is effective July 1, 2018, and will be available to the public at the DHS website, as required by Section 402 of the Social Security Act.

If there are any questions regarding this amendment, please contact Connie Ehlers at <u>cehlers@dhs.state.ia.us</u> or by telephone at 515-281-5487.

Thank you for your assistance.

Sincerely,

Robert Krebs

TANF Administrator

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